

Doodle Reminder

Please ensure you access 'Doodle' for 10 minutes per day as well as exploring the different topics ie: Monday Mathematics /Tuesday Literacy etc. This will support your child to keep on track with their learning throughout this academic year.

Bug Club Reminder

Please ensure children access this daily. This supports your child with their writing tasks alongside reasoning questions and comprehension within all areas of the curriculum.

Cooking donations

- A polite reminder to all parents to please hand in your cooking money, for this term. Thank you to those parents who have contributed so far. It is extremely important for all children to develop life skills.
- **Nut allergies** - Just another reminder that we do not allow any nuts on school grounds including food that 'may contain nuts'.
- **Early morning soft starts** Will continue to occur on Tuesdays for Maths and Thursdays for reading. Parents will be allowed into the classroom to help their child learn with guidance from their class teacher at 8:45-9:00am
- If your child is absent from school, missed work will be sent home with them once they return.
- **School Uniform**
Hair cuts- for boys, only crew cuts are acceptable please refrain from patterned designs, mullets, fade outs, severe buzz cuts etc.
For girls- No diamante or rainbow coloured bands/head bands- Navy blue only please. This also applies to Patkas and Hijabs.
Foot wear-Only school shoes, no boots or trainers of any kind. Trainers are allowed for PE.
Earrings - No large earrings please. Only small studs- Please ensure these are removed for PE days.
School uniform- Full school uniform. Please check the school website for the School Uniform policy.

Question of the week

Who is your favourite author and why?

Year 1 classes email addresses:

Ruby class - RubyClass05@gmail.com

Amethyst class - AmethystClass06@gmail.com

Topaz class - TopazClass7@gmail.com

Amber class - AmberClass8@gmail.com



Year 1 Weekly Newsletter 8th March 2024

Please visit us on our website:

www.yeadinginf.co.uk

and Instagram account

https://instagram.com/yeading_infants

You will find all school information,
updates, term dates and up & coming events

Attendance across the school last week was **93.5%.**
Attendance week commencing **26th February** is as follows:

Group	% Attend
Tigger	89.0%
Owl	96.0%
Rabbit	89.7%
Roo	92.1%
Ruby	95.0%
Amethyst	93.8%
Topaz	87.9%
Amber	93.5%
Diamond	97.2%
Pearl	96.6%
Sapphire	98.3%
Emerald	93.7%

English

This week we wrote a lovely postcard to Aunt Lucy from Paddington, all about his trip to the Tower of London.



Next week We will be looking at non-fiction texts, specifically about **Nocturnal** or Night Animals.

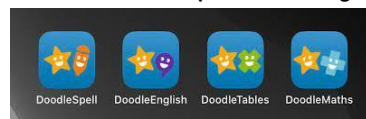
Keywords/phrases: *title / heading, contents page, index, sub titles / headings, captions, glossary, page numbers.*

Phonics

Please continue to practise **phase 5** sounds at home: **ay, ou, ie, ea, oy, ir, ue, ue, aw, wh, ph, ew, oe, au, ey.** As well as the split sounds **a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e.** Tricky words include **oh, where, there, little, one, do, when.** Please ensure your child practises independent sentences daily.



Please make sure your children go on these online learning platforms.



Maths

This week we have learning about measure with a focus on length.

Next week we will be learning about measure with a particular focus on weight.

Keywords: *heavy, heavier, light, lighter, mass, scales, balance*

Home learning/Online - Choose some objects around the house. First, estimate which is heavier or lighter. Then weigh them to check.

Science: Our topic for this term is **Plants.**

PSHE: Our topic for next this term is **Our Important People.**

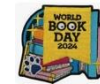
Geography: Our topic for this half term is **Darkest Peru to Yeading.**

RE: Our topic for this half term is **Christianity and Easter.**

Spellings Please practise your spellings. These are located in your child's reading record.

Mother's Day activity on 7th March

Thank you to the fathers (or grandad) for attending and helping their child to make a Mother's card.



World Book Day on 7th March

We had an amazing time. The children took part in a range of workshops with Lisa Stickley, an Author and Illustrator. Thank you for all your kind donations towards this special celebration. Each child has received a £1 World Book Day book token. This can be exchanged for special World Book Day books at many booksellers and supermarkets, for example, Asda, Morrisons, Sainsburys, Tesco, The Works, Waterstones and WHSmith.

Big Walk and Wheel from 11th March to 22nd March

We encourage everyone to walk/scoot/ride to school during these dates.

1-minute maths app - White Rose

Help your child build greater number confidence and fluency. Targeted practice in engaging, one-minute chunks! <https://whiteroseeducation.com/1-minute-maths>



IMPORTANT NOTICES

PE Amber - Tue, Thu
Ruby - Tue, Thu

Amethyst - Mon, Thu
Topaz - Mon, Wed

There has been a number of latenesses this term. You must ensure you arrive at school by **8.45am**. Lateness has a devastating effect on teaching and learning process in the school, which has great negative impact on school standard, pupils academic performance, absenteeism and distractions for other pupils.

Class Assembly Dates:

Amber - 20.3.2024 Amethyst - 14.3.2024 (revised) Ruby - 15.3. 2024

Wishing you a restful weekend Year 1 Team ☺